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Lt. General C. P. Cabell Deputy Director Central Intelligence Agency Washington 25, D. C.

Dear General Cabell:

Reference is made to your letter of 16 December 1955 concerning the proposed ribbon designs for the Central Intelligence Agency Honor Awards

In accordance with the heraldic principles of design a ribbon should have two colors separated by a metallic tincture, i.e., white for silver, yellow for gold; for this reason the yellow was placed on the criginally submitted designs.

The designs, which are inclosed, have been checked with the records of the Office of The Quarternaster General and they do not conflict with any known ribben designs. All are considered suitable for adoption.

Sincerely yours,

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